

Notice of Allowability

Application No.

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Examiner

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-- The MAILING DATE of this communication appears on the cover sheet with the correspondence address--

All claims being allowable, PROSECUTION ON THE MERITS IS (OR REMAINS) CLOSED in this application. If not included herewith (or previously mailed), a Notice of Allowance (PTOL-85) or other appropriate communication will be mailed in due course. **THIS NOTICE OF ALLOWABILITY IS NOT A GRANT OF PATENT RIGHTS.** This application is subject to withdrawal from issue at the initiative of the Office or upon petition by the applicant. See 37 CFR 1.313 and MPEP 1308.

1. ☒ This communication is responsive to the amendment filed on 1/9/06.
2. ☒ The allowed claim(s) is/are 1-2, 4-10 and 13 (newly numbered claims are 1-10).
3. ☐ Acknowledgment is made of a claim for foreign priority under 35 U.S.C. § 119(a)-(d) or (f).
- a) ☐ All b) ☐ Some* c) ☐ None of the:
1. ☐ Certified copies of the priority documents have been received.
2. ☐ Certified copies of the priority documents have been received in Application No. _____.
3. ☐ Copies of the certified copies of the priority documents have been received in this national stage application from the International Bureau (PCT Rule 17.2(a)).

* Certified copies not received: _____.

Applicant has THREE MONTHS FROM THE "MAILING DATE" of this communication to file a reply complying with the requirements noted below. Failure to timely comply will result in ABANDONMENT of this application.

THIS THREE-MONTH PERIOD IS NOT EXTENDABLE.

4. ☐ A SUBSTITUTE OATH OR DECLARATION must be submitted. Note the attached EXAMINER'S AMENDMENT or NOTICE OF INFORMAL PATENT APPLICATION (PTO-152) which gives reason(s) why the oath or declaration is deficient.
5. ☐ CORRECTED DRAWINGS (as "replacement sheets") must be submitted.
- (a) ☐ including changes required by the Notice of Draftsperson's Patent Drawing Review (PTO-948) attached
- 1) ☐ hereto or 2) ☐ to Paper No./Mail Date _____.
- (b) ☐ including changes required by the attached Examiner's Amendment / Comment or in the Office action of Paper No./Mail Date _____.
- Identifying indicia such as the application number (see 37 CFR 1.84(c)) should be written on the drawings in the front (not the back) of each sheet. Replacement sheet(s) should be labeled as such in the header according to 37 CFR 1.121(d).
6. ☐ DEPOSIT OF and/or INFORMATION about the deposit of BIOLOGICAL MATERIAL must be submitted. Note the attached Examiner's comment regarding REQUIREMENT FOR THE DEPOSIT OF BIOLOGICAL MATERIAL.

Attachment(s)

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| 1. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Notice of References Cited (PTO-892) | 5. <input type="checkbox"/> Notice of Informal Patent Application (PTO-152) |
| 2. <input type="checkbox"/> Notice of Draftsperson's Patent Drawing Review (PTO-948) | 6. <input type="checkbox"/> Interview Summary (PTO-413),
Paper No./Mail Date _____. |
| 3. <input type="checkbox"/> Information Disclosure Statements (PTO-1449 or PTO/SB/08),
Paper No./Mail Date _____ | 7. <input type="checkbox"/> Examiner's Amendment/Comment |
| 4. <input type="checkbox"/> Examiner's Comment Regarding Requirement for Deposit
of Biological Material | 8. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Examiner's Statement of Reasons for Allowance |
| | 9. <input type="checkbox"/> Other _____ |

1. This action is in response to the amendment filed on 1/9/06.
2. Claims 1, 4, 5 and 9 have been amended.
3. Claims 3, 11-12 and 14 have been canceled.
4. 1-2, 4-10, and 13 have been allowed.
5. Drawings filed on 11/13/01 and 9/20/04 have been accepted by the Examiner.

REASON FOR ALLOWANCE

6. The following is an examiner's statement of reason for allowance:

The cited prior art taken alone or in combination fail to teach in combination with the other claimed limitations, a method executed on a computer for exchanging information between disparate computing platforms, said method comprising: processing second plurality of request messages at second computing platform to create a plurality of first response messages; formatting said plurality of first response messages to construct a response data stream; translating said response data stream into said platform independent language; and transmitting said response data stream to the first computing platform in said platform independent language, as recited in the independent claims 1 and 10.

Any comments considered necessary by applicant must be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee and, to avoid processing delays, should preferably accompany the issue fee. Such submissions should be clearly labeled "Comments on Statement of Reasons for Allowance."

Conclusion

7. The prior art made or record and not relied upon is considered pertinent to applicant's disclosure.

TITLE: Event model using fixed-format text strings to express event actions, US 6772408 B1

TITLE: Distributed processing, US 6256779 B1

TITLE: Network and method for implementing network platform services for a computing device, US 6976066 B1

TITLE: Client-side performance optimization system for streamed applications, US 6959320 B2

TITLE: Network and method for implementing network platform services for a computing device, US 6976066 B1

TITLE: Integration mechanism for object-oriented software and message-oriented software, US 6804818 B1

TITLE: Method and apparatus in a data processing system for the issuance and delivery of lightweight requests to concurrent and multiple service providers, US 6886170 B1

TITLE: Methods and apparatus for secure distribution of software, US 6966002 B1

TITLE: Attribute dictionary in a business logic services environment, US 6601234 B1

TITLE: Method and apparatus for managing data exchange among systems in a network, US 6643652 B2

TITLE: Load balancer in environment services patterns, US 6578068 B1

TITLE: Beyond RPC: The Virtual Network, author: Dalpee et al, November 1993.

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TITLE: Experiences with network-based user agents for mobile applications, author: Porta et al, ACM, 1998.

8. Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Chameli Das whose telephone number is 571-272-3696.

The examiner can normally be reached on Monday-Friday from 7:00 A.M. to 3:30 P.M.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor Tuan Dam can be reached at 571-272-3695. The fax number for this group is (571) 273-8300.

An inquiry of general nature or relating to the status of this application or proceeding should be directed to the group receptionist whose telephone number is 571-272-2100.

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